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Would 'a Been Cheaper to Take A Ticket, Eh?

Trying to elude the law, cost motorcycleist Leslie C. Gipson, 31, of Lawdale, a wrecked motorcycle and a broken ankle. It happened Sunday afternoon, according to Torrance Police Officer Jim Thompson who gave chase to Gipson and two other companions whom he saw speed through the intersection at Hawthorne boulevard and Pacific Coast Highway. Officer Thompson took after Gipson when the motorcycle sped through the intersection at approximately 60 miles per hour. As Thompson gave chase he saw the cyclist weave and finally spill as he tried to avoid going over a bluff. The motorcycle fell on his ankle fracturing it. He admitted he was trying to give Thompson the slip.

INFECTION SPREAD

During World War I many British troops were infected with anthrax, believed carried on shaving brushes imported from Japan.

Elusive Lion Palos Verdes Puma Is Still Prowling

Palos Verdes' elusive mountain lion was in the news again this week and even drew one offer to track the phantom beast to his lair. The animal, weighing an estimated 150 pounds, apparently has been glimpsed several times during the past few months by local residents and has left evidence of his presence in wooded canyons near the Palos Verdes Country Club. Some witnesses have said that they heard the huge puma's screams during the night. A similar animal was the principal in a widespread search more than a year ago near the Western Torrance housing project located in the hills on Western avenue. Ernest H. Collins, a San Pedro jeweler, told newsmen that he is making plans to hike into the hills with a shotgun and make short work of the prowler.

T. J. Gates, Refinery Engineer

T. J. Gates, Redondo Beach, has been advanced to the post of refinery engineer at the Torrance refinery of the General Petroleum Corporation. Gates has been with General Petroleum since May, 1946. His first post was as a pressure equipment inspector. Since 1949 he has been a maintenance control engineer. A native of Detroit, Mich., Gates received a degree in chemical engineering from Wayne University in 1942. He served for four years in the Chemical Warfare Service, holding the rank of captain upon discharge.

Hospital, Jail Each Get One Following Fight

Booked on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon Sunday night following a brawl in Lomita during which a San Pedro man was stabbed was Ernest Waters, 3501 Torrance boulevard.

According to Deputy Sheriff Rudolph Lisa, Waters was arrested after Ira Richmond, 312 North Beacon street, was knifed in front of a cafe at 1952 Pacific Coast Highway.

Richmond was described as in a critical condition in the Harbor General Hospital but his condition was "improving," hospital authorities said.

Conflicting stories of the incident were related by the alleged attacker and the victim and both were being questioned at length by Lennox deputies regarding the scrap.

OYSTER LAWS

In 1766 Rhode Island enacted laws for the "preservation of the oyster" to keep the coastal oyster beds from being scraped bare.

Kettler Kapers

By MRS. VIRGINIA JONES
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CIRCLE 7, WSCS held their monthly meeting Tuesday, February 13, at the home of Mrs. Camilla Helphand, who served as hostess for the evening. Co-hostess was Mrs. Jo Devenish. Mrs. Viola Gore, chairman, presided with Mrs. Jerry Withycombe giving the devotional. The White Elephant Auction Sale highlighted the evening for the 12 members present. A Valentine theme was carried out in table decorations with cherry pie and coffee served by the hostesses.

MRS. JEAN CURTIS, of 1726 West 236th street, held open house Tuesday, February 20, to honor her small son, Dennis Michael, on his first birthday. From 2 to 4 p.m., family friends and neighborhood children scamped here and there bringing gifts for little Dennis. Also arriving to take part in the festivities were his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Whittington and great-grandmother, Mrs. Lee Kimbrough who, along with the youngsters, enjoyed the cake and ice cream. A memorable day for Dennis Michael.

MRS. BETTE DICKSON, of 1849 Middlebrook road, entertained in her home last week with a lovely luncheon honoring the birthday of Mrs. Edna Crosswhite. Guests were the honoree and her daughters Gwen and Sharon, Mrs. Gertrude Horner and children Jack and Nancy, Mrs. Jean Friend and daughters Diane and Billie, Mrs. Evelyn Coleman and daughter Susan. Illness prevented Mrs. Betty Bynum and her children from attending. Beautiful gifts were opened by Mrs. Crosswhite.

WE ARE HAPPY TO HEAR that Mrs. Lila Redmond, of 1730 West 236th street, is on the mend. She is convalescing at her home following a major operation.

A WEEK AGO MONDAY found little Jorie Cunningham in the busy whirl of celebrating her fourth birthday. She's the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cunningham, of 1923 Raymond drive, where the party took place. Her guests were Carol Anderson, Linda Walker, Donna Faye and Larry Easley, Judy Clutter, Jack Wayne, Adria Sommerville, Jorie's brother Dan Cunningham, Mickey and Bobbie Crawford. A beautiful table was set with individual dolls (made from pipe cleaners, and real cut!), balloons, toy watches and topped off with a lovely heart-shaped cake. The tiny tykes enjoyed a gay time!

OLD NEWS TO FOLKS ON SANTA FE but news to usn's in yonder slides Kettler Knolls is the fact that two little babies were born in the latter part of December. Just can't forget them, so here they are! Little Gregory Allan was born December 22 to John and Dorothy Jasper of 1831 Santa Fe in Seaside Hospital, Long Beach. Now a rollicking ten pounds and two months old, he has a brother Steven Patrick, 16 months old. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Duncan and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jasper. . . . Harry and Adena Cole's third son was born December 30 at Torrance Hospital and was named Donald Edward. His two brothers are Richard and Jerry and the Cole's reside at 1830 Santa Fe. Grandparents are Mrs. S. G. Sherman of Brawley and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cole of Indiana. Congratulations!

MRS. TEO CUNNINGHAM entertained on a recent Friday night, her knitting club, named The Knitwits. During the evening they enjoyed—yes, you guessed it—knitting! The hostess served refreshments to her guests, Mrs. Velma Lucas, June Duncan, Helen Catina, Mary Hroza, Evelyn Bennett and Margie Craig, Teo's mother.

THE JOKERS CLUB stepped out last Sunday! Yessiree . . . they enjoyed a most delightful dinner at Welch's restaurant in Long Beach. Club members there were Mesdames Betty Bynum, Edna Crosswhite, Willie Archbold, Betty Dawson and Betty Dickson. Returning home, they gathered at Mrs. Dawson's Reynolds drive home where Mrs. Evelyn Coleman and Gertrude Horner joined them for an evening of canasta.

THE SMALL FRY who attend Torrance Elementary School enjoyed a most exciting field trip recently. Under the able direction of kindergarten teacher, Miss Gaines, the joyous group toured the U. S. Naval Base on Terminal Island. There they watched attentively, the huge cranes, boats being repaired, etc., and were thrilled to watch the docking of a ship from Korea. Then a ride home on the ferry boat! What fun! Members of the class from Kettler Knolls were Mickey Crawford, Margaret Aarup, Karen Clever, Andrea Crow, Linda Manner, Jean Nickaloff, Mary Jane Schulz, Jim Gore, Bob Jobe, Joe Scirica, Dennis Tierman and Dan Cunningham. Tell us when you go on another field trip, huh, teacher?

MRS. IRENE BROWN, of 1827 Santa Fe, is entertaining in her home today with a most delightful plastic party for a group of friends. The hostess will serve refreshments, too!

HUSKY MEN AND WOMEN who are eager to donate a pint of blood again will be happy to hear that the Bloodmobile will be in Torrance on April 6 from 2 to 7:30 p.m., at the Civic Auditorium. If you are anxious to donate—please phone Torrance 1524 and make your appointment now.

A SIDELIGHT GLANCE at William S. and Rosalie Deane who moved in last weekend at 1820 Middlebrook road. Bill is employed at Union Oil Company in Wilmington with his bride of four months working in Inglewood. Not a newcomer to Torrance is Mr. Deane, who beats many of us as an old-time resident—20 years and through all the schools here—a special welcome back to Bill and to Rosalie, hope you'll love Torrance!

Qualified Nurses Needed by U.S. Navy

Need for qualified young women for the Nurses' Corps of the United States Navy is still great, announced Chief R. K. Vance, of the San Pedro Navy Recruiting Station today.

Despite rumors to the contrary, many openings are available at this time for qualified graduate nurses. Qualifications include American citizenship, no dependents of any kind, being unmarried, and between the ages of 21 and 29.

Hijacked Truck Found Parked on Gardena Street

Emptied of its \$10,000 cargo of groceries and machinery, the heavy truck taken in a hijacking near Saugus last week was discovered parked in a Gardena street Friday.

Driver of the truck, Oliver Miller, 41, of Randsburg, was kidnapped and beaten by the hijackers before being left off near here in the Palos Verdes hills.

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- Vienna Sausage Libby 4-oz. 22c
- Deviled Ham Libby 3-oz. 21c

VENUS

Fig Bars
1-lb. 33c 1 1/2-lb. 47c

- Tuna Breast of Chicken No. 15 33c
- Cinch Cake Mixes 16-oz. 37c
- Durkee's Grade "AA" Margarine 4-oz. 38c
- Hi Ho Crackers 1-lb. 32c
- Cheez-It Cheese Crackers 6-oz. 19c
- Pillsbury Pancake Flour 2 1/2-lb. 33c
- Flapjack Libby 20-oz. 18c
- Corn Kix Recommended by 7-oz. Don McNeil 16c

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Half Gallon 29c

- Shredded Wheat 12-oz. 16c
- Morton's Salt 26-oz. 11c
- Snowdrift 3 1-lb. 1.08
- Wesson Oil 3 1-lb. 40c
- Armour's Treet 12-oz. 50c
- Deviled Meat Armour 5 1/2-oz. 18c
- Chopped Ham 12-oz. 57c
- Air Wick Air Purifier 5 1/2-oz. 69c

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